NORTH CAROLINA

COALITION TO STRENGTHEN AMERICA'S HEALTHCARE
PROTECTING 24/7 CARE

2024 COALITION ADVOCATE ACTIONS

In 2024, advocates sent 190,949 letters to Congress asking representatives to strengthen 24/7 access to care and protect essential hospital funding.

LETTERS SENT BY NORTH CAROLINA ADVOCATES:

6,709

STATE FACTS AND RESOURCES

*Source: KFF Medicaid State Fact Sheets

In North Carolina, there are

2,648,378
Medicaid Recipients

38%
of Births Covered by Medicaid

2 IN 5
Children Covered by Medicaid

5 IN 8
Nursing Home Residents Covered by Medicaid

STORIES FROM THE STATE

Advocates from across the country submit their patient stories about 24/7 care, Medicare, Medicaid and rural healthcare access in order to highlight the importance of access to care.

> Receiving Medicaid coverage has allowed me to take a deep breath. Knowing I have the coverage is comforting to know. I could access health care when I needed it, instead of feeling panicked every time I got sick or hurt.
>
> Gavin Larsen

> Unfortunately, I became disabled from a car accident and I have been dependent upon Medicaid since then. It has covered my medical expenses and medication. I am very thankful and grateful that we live in a country that has a program to help people in need. Medicaid needs adequate funding, cuts to quality care puts a strain on people's budgets who can't afford it. Please reconsider the Medicaid cuts.
>
> Chuck Dixon